

FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 15, 1995

SUBJECT: **SB 654**

This bill, if enacted, will delete the *Open Container Law* passed in 1994 and instead makes it a Class B misdemeanor punishable by a fine only for any driver or passenger of a motor vehicle possessing, carrying or transporting open containers of alcoholic beverages or beer.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in revenue to local governments. Such increased revenue will depend upon the number of persons cited for such violation and the number of persons convicted and the amount of fines levied and collected. Therefore, such increased revenue cannot be determined but can reasonably be estimated not to be significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James A. Davenport". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of the first and last names being capitalized and prominent.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director